

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

ABUDA, *et. al.*,

*Plaintiffs,*

Case No. 22-cv-10869-VSB

vs.

STRONGBLOCK, DAVID MOSS, BRIAN  
ABRAMSON, COREY LEDERER,  
KONSTANTIN SHKUT, AND JOHN DOE  
DEFENDANTS 1-5,

*Defendants.*

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**AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO ADMIT *PRO HAC VICE***

I, Payton H. Poliakoff, being duly sworn, hereby depose and say as follows:

1. I am an associate with the law firm of Government Law Group.
2. I submit this Affidavit in support of my Motion for Admission to practice *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter.
3. As shown in the Certificate of Good Standing annexed hereto as **Exhibit “A”** I am a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Florida.
4. There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against me in any state or federal court.
5. I have not been convicted of a felony. If you have, please describe facts and circumstances.
6. I have not been censured, suspended, disbarred or denied admission or readmission by any court. If you have, please describe facts and circumstances.
7. Wherefore, your Affiant respectfully submits that he be permitted to appear as counsel and advocate *pro hac vice* in the instant case for the Plaintiffs.

Dated: December 28, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me on this 28<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022, by  
hand. He is personally known to me or has produced driver license as identification.

NOTARY SEAL:

Stefania Cajal  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF FLORIDA  
(Signature of Notary taking acknowledgment)



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